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# **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 1, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/816,346
Confirmation Number	6357
Filing Date	March 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	Laurent DESCLOS
Group Art Unit	2685
Examiner Name	Duc M. NGUYEN
Matter Number	A7831
Title	ACTIVE INDUCTORS USING BIPOLAR SILICON TRANSISTORS

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

## **1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
  - i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
  - i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
  - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
  - iv. ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
  - v. ☒ Other Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter with appropriate fee

## **2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ Months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## **3. FEES**

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all additional required fees (except the Issue/Publication Fees) to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is also attached.

## **CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS**

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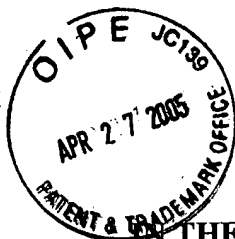
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## **SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY**

Name Amelia F. Morani, Ph.D. Registration No. 52,049

Signature Amelia F. Morani Date April 27, 2005



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BY THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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### EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

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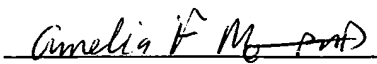
Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § .114 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fees are calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		No. Extra		Rate		Fees Due
All Claims	19	-	20	=	0	X	\$50.00	=	0
Independent	7	-	8	=	0	X	\$200.00	=	0
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee									= \$360.00
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE</b>									<b>= \$360.00</b>

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Respectfully submitted,

  
Amelia F. Morani, Ph.D.  
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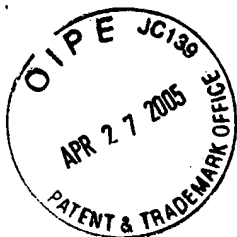
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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